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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$162 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1062 for a Large Entity

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| • \$770 Statutory basic filing fee. | 09/20/2004 AWONDAF1 00000107 10791143 | |
| • \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge. | 01 FC:1001 | 770.00 OP |
| | 02 FC:1051 | 130.00 OP |
| | 03 FC:1202 | 162.00 OP |
| • Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$162 | | |

■. \$162 for 9 total claims over 20.

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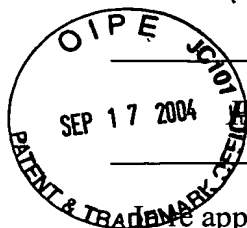
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent application of: Dutt, et al.

Attorney Docket No.: ANDIP031A

Application No.: 10/791,143

Examiner: Unassigned

Filed: March 1, 2004

Group: 2664

Title: A FIBRE CHANNEL SWITCH THAT
ENABLES END DEVICES IN DIFFERENT
FABRICS TO COMMUNICATE WITH ONE
ANOTHER WHILE RETAINING THEIR UNIQUE
FIBRE CHANNEL DOMAIN_IDS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail on September 14, 2004 in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

Enclosed herewith is the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed May 25, 2004. Please file this document in the subject application.

Applicant hereby request a two month(s) extension of time in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed May 25, 2004.

Enclosed is our Check No. 9648 for \$1,522.00 in payment of the filing fee, excess claims fee, surcharge, and two-month(s) extension fee (if any) for a Large Entity. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. ANDIP031A).

Respectfully submitted,

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